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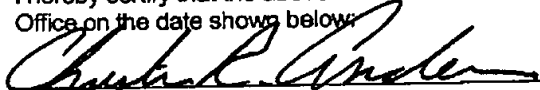
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- 2) Amendment in Response to Non-Final Office Action.

Title: VOICE RESPONSE APPARATUS AND METHOD FO PROVIDING
AUTOMATED VOICE RESPONSES WITH SILENT PROMPTING
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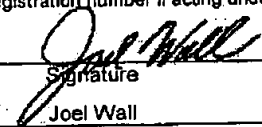
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Application Number 09/309,274-Conf. #7294		Filed May 11, 1999	
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